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FM AMEMBASSY JIDDA

TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 7694

INFO AMEMBASSY SANAA

AMEMBASSY AMMAN

AMEMBASSY CAIRO

AMCONSUL DHAHRAN

AMEMBASSY BEIRUT

C O N F I D E N T I A L JIDDA 3702

BEIRUT PASS USINT BAGHDAD

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR, SA, YE

SUBJECT: SAUDI RELATIONS WITH NEW YEMEN GOVERNMENT

1. PRINCE FAHD TOLD THE AMBASSADOR AND COUNSELOR SABBAGH TODAY THAT SAUDI ARABIA WAS PLEASED WITH THE DEVELOPMENTS IN YEMEN. HAMDI SEEMED TO BE IN FULL CONTROL. THEY NOW UNDERSTOOD THAT AL-IRYANI HAD COMMITTED MANY BLUNDERS, NOTABLY HIS RELEASE FROM CONFINEMENT OF DANGEROUS LEFTISTS.

2. FAHD SAID A COUPLE OF DAYS AGO HE RECEIVED A REASSURING LETTER FROM AL-AYNI "APOLOGIZING FOR POSSIBLE PAST MISTAKES HE MAY HAVE COMMITTED AND PROMISING STRONG AMICABLE RELATIONS WITH SAUDI ARABIA."

3. THE ACTIONS OF HIS SUDAIRY UNCLE, SAUDI AMBASSADOR TO SANAA, WERE NOT DISCUSSED.

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4. COMMENT: FAHD WAS RELAXED AND UNCONCERNED ABOUT
YEMEN. IN FACT, HE SEEMED PLEASED; ALMOST SMUGLY SO,
WITH THE CURRENT DEVELOPMENTS THERE.
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